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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

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Sir:

In response to the accompanying Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated February 19, 2004, we enclose herewith the executed declaration which was omitted at the time of filing the above-captioned application, which was filed on November 20, 2003 in the name of Robert Farrer GILMOUR.

Please charge the surcharge of \$65 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for this purpose.

The undersigned also petitions for a five-month extension of the time for filing this declaration until August 27, 2004 and requests that the extension fee of \$1,005 be charged to Deposit Account No. 25-0120.

Respectfully submitted,

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